**ABSOLUTE RATING:** Good

**IMPROVEMENT RATING: Below Average** 

Number of high schools with students similar to ours: 31. The absolute ratings for those schools ranged from average to excellent. For the improvement ratings, the range was from unsatisfactory to excellent. (Definitions of School Rating Terms on Page 4)

### **RATINGS OVER A 4-YEAR PERIOD**

Absolute Rating Improvement Rating

2001 Good Below Average

2002 2003

2004

### TENTH GRADE PASSAGE OF ONE OR MORE SUBTESTS OF THE EXIT EXAM Schools With

	(	Our School			Students Like Ours		
	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001	ı
Passed all 3 subtests	69.8	73.0	74.1	71.5	75.3	75.6	
Passed 2 subtests	18.0	14.8	14.9	16.1	14.1	14.2	ı
Passed 1 subtest	7.8	9.4	8.5	8.0	7.4	7.0	
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ELIGIBILITY FOR LIFE SCHOLARSHIPS	Our School	Schools With Students Like Ours
% of seniors eligible for LIFE Scholarships	23.7%	27.8%
at four-year institutions		
% of seniors who met the SAT requirement	27.9%	29.2%
% of seniors who met the grade point average	41.9%	56.1%

Beginning in 2003, the graduation rate for each high school will be included in the school rating.

	PERFORMANCE BY STUDE	NT GROUPS		
		Senio	ors	
		Exit Exam Passage	Eligibility for	Graduation
	Student Group	Rate by Spring 2001	LIFE Scholarships	Rate
4	All students	93.8%	23.7%	N/A until 2003
-	Students with disabilities other than speech	90.9%	0.0%	
	Students without disabilities	94.0%	24.9%	
	Gender			
	Male	92.4%	18.2%	
	Female	95.0%	28.4%	
	Ethnic Group			
ij	African American	85.7%	2.7%	
	Hispanic	66.7%	0.0%	
	White	97.7%	27.3%	
	Other	55.6%	50.0%	
	Lunch Status			
	Free/reduced-price lunch	75.0%	4.8%	
	Pay for lunch	95.6%	25.8%	

STUDENTS IN CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY COURSES				
Mastering core competencies	67.4%			
Completers placed	100.0%			
Eligible students enrolled	34.3%			

## **SCHOOL PROFILE** INDICATORS OF SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

(	Our School	Change from Last Year	Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
SCHOOL				
Dollars spent per student	\$4,387	N/A	\$5,049	\$5,668
<ul> <li>Prime instructional time</li> </ul>	90.3%	Down from 91.3%	6 91.1%	90.1%
<ul> <li>Student-teacher ratio</li> </ul>	N/A	N/A	26.8 to 1	25.1 to 1
STUDENTS (n=1,161)				
Advanced Placement/ Int'l Baccalaureate Progran Exam Success Ratio	72.7% n	N/A	56.5%	40.0%
Attendance rate	94.4%	Up from 93.0%	95.7%	95.3%
<ul> <li>Retention rate</li> </ul>	9.9%	Up from 7.9%	7.4%	10.0%
TEACHERS (n=64)				
<ul> <li>Professional Development days per teacher</li> </ul>	5.0 Days	Down from 5.8	7.4 Days	7.5 Days
Attendance rate	97.2%	Down from 98.7%	6 96.1%	95.7%
<ul> <li>Teachers with advanced degrees</li> </ul>	59.4%	Down from 60.0%	55.8%	49.4%
Continuing contract teachers	79.7%	Up from 65.2%	82.3%	81.0%
<ul> <li>Teachers with out-of-field permits</li> </ul>	12.5%	Up from 6.1%	2.6%	3.0%
<ul> <li>Teachers returning from the previous school year</li> </ul>	78.4%	No change	86.7%	85.2%
<ul> <li>Average teacher salary</li> </ul>	\$37,344	Up 6.4%	\$38,357	\$38,125

### **SCHOOL FACTS**

		From	with Students	High
Our	School	Last Year	like ours	School
SCHOOL				
Dropout rate	0.8%	Down from 2.4%	2.7%	2.9%
<ul> <li>Percentage of expenditures spent on teacher salaries</li> </ul>	52.7%	N/A	57.2%	56.4%
<ul> <li>Principal's years at the school</li> </ul>	5.0	N/A	3.0	3.0
<ul> <li>Percent of parents attending conferences</li> </ul>	52.9%	N/A	60.0%	60.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	N/A	Excellent	Excellent
STUDENTS				
<ul> <li>Older than usual for grade</li> </ul>	8.7%	Down from 10.1%	6.4%	10.1%
<ul> <li>Suspended or expelled</li> </ul>	15	N/A	26	29
<ul> <li>Gifted and talented</li> </ul>	0.0%	N/A	10.9%	7.4%
With disabilities     other than speech	9.6%	Up from 6.6%	9.0%	10.7%
<ul> <li>Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations</li> </ul>	0.9%	N/A	2.8%	4.5%
<ul> <li>Enrollment in career and technology center courses</li> </ul>	398	N/A	461	350
<ul> <li>Career students participating in work-based experiences</li> </ul>	4.4%	N/A	26.6%	23.1%

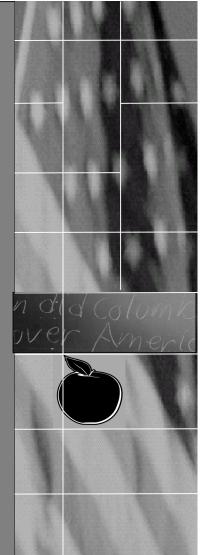
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# PRINCIPAL'S / SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL REPORT



Wade Hampton High 100 PINE KNOLL DR. GREENVILLE, SC 29609

Grades 9-12 High School

**Enrollment**: 1,161 Students

Principal

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Roger D. Meek 864-233-8567

## THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Annual School	
Report Card	

2001

School Grade: Good

#### **EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS AND STUDENTS**

Percent	Teachers	Students	Parents
Satisfied with learning environment	77.4	58.2	(Avail. 2002)
Satisfied with social and physical environment	84.9	64.9	
Satisfied with home-school relations	76.5	83.2	

### **DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS**

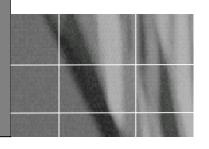
Excellent – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Good – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal

Average – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Below Average – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Below Average** – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Go **Unsatisfactory** – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.



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### South Carolina Performance Goal:

By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the five fastest improving systems in the country.

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